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No such women as are not seriously out of health, but who have exacting duties to perform, either in the way of household care or in social duties and functions, which seriously tax their strength, as well as nursing mothers, Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription has proved a most valuable supporting tonic and invigorating nerve. By its timely use, much nervous sickness and suffering may be avoided. The operating table and the surgeon's knife would be believed seldom have to be employed if this most valuable woman's remedy were resorted to in good time. The Favorite Prescription has proven a great boon to expectant mothers by preparing the system for the coming of baby, thereby rendering childbirth safe, easy, and almost painless.

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ASHAMED OF BEING PUFFED.

LUIS S. CHANDLER, former lieutenant governor, was so ashamed of being "puffed" by the publicity end of his brief "boom" for the 1908 democratic presidential nomination in the fall of 1907 that he wanted nothing to do with it, and refused even to look at the newspaper clippings praising his availability, according to his testimony under cross examination yesterday before Justice Bechoff in the Supreme Court in New York in the suit brought by William F. Clark for \$20,000. Clark wants Chandler to pay him for his services as a publicity agent. The cross examination was conducted by Clarence Shearo.

"Now, tell me why you wanted to keep in the background, and why you did not want to see the newspaper clippings when Manning offered to show them to you?" said Mr. Shearo.

"I was ashamed of it, ashamed of the whole business," said the former lieutenant governor, with emphasis.

"Ashamed of hiring a man to 'put you up' in the newspapers?"

"Yes, that's it exactly. I never did it before and I never will again."

"But you put up \$15,000 for that purpose, did you not?"

"I gave \$15,000 to my brother William to oblige him."

"Did not you understand that the money was to be used to 'put you up' in the newspapers?"

"No, not exactly. I understood it was to pay the expenses of sending a ticket to the newspapers telling of my past life."

A few questions in indirect examination by Mr. Withthrop, counsel for the defendant, closed the testimony. The lawyers will sum up and the court charge the jury today.

Sufferers who say they have tried everything without result are the people we are looking for. We want them to know from first-hand experience that Ely's Cream Balm will conquer Cold in the Head, Hay Fever, and Obstructed Nasal Catarrh. This remedy acts directly on the inflamed, sensitive membranes. Cleansing, soothing and healing. One trial will convince you of its healing power. Price 50c. All druggists, or mailed by Ely Bros., 55 Warren Street, New York.

COOK'S CLAIM UNPROVEN.

The committee of the University of Copenhagen has completed its examination of Dr. Frederick A. Cook's original notes, and yesterday confirmed its previous conclusions, that not the slightest proof that the explorer reached the North Pole had been submitted.

The report was submitted to the constabulary of the University yesterday. The committee finds that the copy of the data upon which its previous conclusions were based, now in examination, whether or not purpose of deceiving.

No immediate steps will be taken to rescind the honorary degree conferred upon Cook, as the verdict is merely one of "case unproven," so far as the decision of the university is concerned.

However, Rector Stromgren, the chairman of the examining committee, has been delegated to further consider all evidence at their disposal, after which final action concerning the university's honoring of the explorer may be taken.

You can make the holiday season more appreciated if you present some dear friend with a pair of the handsome shoes shown in Marshall's windows.

THREATENED TARIFF WAR.

The German government has decided that in the event that an agreement upon reciprocal tariffs between the United States and Germany is not reached by February 7, when the running arrangement expires, Germany's general tariff rates must, under the law, be applied to American imports at present coming in under the conventional tariff.

One hundred and twenty-seven articles will be affected.

It was, however, semi-officially declared in Berlin yesterday that the tariff negotiations with the United States had not been broken off, and it was added that time remained for a settlement of the differences between the two countries.

In the absence of such a settlement the general tariff rates will go into effect automatically at midnight on February 7.

The newspapers of Berlin yesterday note with some concern that Germany was omitted from President Taft's proclamation of Tuesday of the countries to profit by the minimum rates at United States ports.

DIED WHILE SPEAKING.

While in the midst of a speech during the celebration of the birthday of Gen. Robert E. Lee by members of the General Ashby Camp, Confederate Veterans, in Winchester, last night, G. Holmes Boyd, brother of Chief Judge A. Hunter Boyd, of the Maryland Court of Appeals, and one of the most prominent lawyers and residents of Winchester, dropped dead of apoplexy. The untimely death of Mr. Boyd broke up the meeting.

Mr. Boyd was 69 years old and a native of Winchester. He was a member of the well known law firm of Barton & Boyd, his partner being Robert T. Barton. Mr. Boyd was president of the Winchester School Board and vice-president of the Union Bank of Winchester. He fought with distinction during the civil war, being a member of Rockbridge Battery. He was a leading member of the General Ashby Camp.

## THE PRESIDENT'S ULTIMATUM.

President Taft Tuesday bade defiance to foes, to too solicitous friends and the country at large and announced an ultimatum that began with the statement that a second term is an indifferent matter to him and that he is not looking for it, but that while he is president he is going to "do something."

That something, the president made clear is to carry out the pledges of the republican party, and his test of republicanism will be a vote for these measures that he regards as pledged by the party in the party platform and the last campaign.

The limitation of the use of the injunction power by the federal courts. The enactment of amendments of the railway rate law and those to the laws which regulate interstate commerce.

The establishment of a system of postal savings banks.

Separate statehood for Arizona and New Mexico.

The president mentioned two important bits of legislation as debatable and consequently no test of republicanism. He submitted that these two matter were questions on which there could be reasonable differences of opinion. These he mentioned are:

Conservation of the natural resources. A federal incorporation act.

STORMS IN EUROPE.

Storms of exceptional violence have been raging for the past 48 hours, the center being in the east of France. The rivers have overflowed their banks in many places. Belfort is completely under water and Metz is partially flooded.

Scores of American visitors at the fashionable Alpine resorts are imprisoned idly on account of the heavy rains. In the upper regions the snowfall measures from 3 to 10 feet, and large sections of the mountain railroads have been washed out or buried under the snow.

Three Americans are missing from Daves. They left on a skating expedition a day or two ago, and since have not been heard from.

The region around Rheims has been converted into a vast lake. The situation in several villages is critical.

A dispatch from Brussels says that in the Sambre valley roads, railroads and bridges are submerged. Many factories have been shut down.

SHOOTING CASE COMPROMISED.

The tide of public opinion in the Carney-Carter shooting affair near Ball's Mill, in Prince William county, a few days ago, was greatly changed Tuesday against Epps Carney, when a warrant was sworn out against him charging him with the malicious shooting of J. M. Carter. On the eve of the trial a compromise was effected by which Carney agreed to pay as damages to Carter the sum of \$20 and his doctor's bill of \$50 for the injury done by a stray bullet which Carney claims he fired, in practice at a mark.

Could anything look sadder on a sea-foot than the foot wear to be found at the shoe store of J. H. A. Marshall & Bro. Glimpse at the window display.

List of Unclaimed Letters.

The following is a list of the letters remaining in the Alexandria, Va., postoffice up to January 15, 1910:

Alexandria Hotel Jones, Mrs. C. P. Kline, Mrs. T. E. Berry, Mrs. Carrie Bright, J. F. Clayton, Dr. Cook, W. D. Gibbons, J. Lee Hittner, Robert Hobbs, Rev. C. K. Holt, Mrs. Robt. J. Johnson, Mrs. Emma Johnson, Josephine Johnson, Marion Johnson, Thomas Burroughs, F. M.

Lewis, Mrs. Emma Lyles, Charlie Mansion Hotel Marshall, Nellie McCormick, Mrs. L. Miller, N. Moore, C. E. Murray, N. D. Pettit, Mrs. Fannie J. Sherman, T. C. Smith, R. Stull, J. H. Johnson, Mrs. Emma Johnson, James A. Waring, Emma

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We have baby rings from 75c up. Rings for young ladies from \$1.50 up. Boys' rings from \$2.00 up. Gents' rings from \$4.00 up. We carry all sizes and weights of Tiffany Wedding Rings.

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Orders from the country for merchandise shall receive prompt attention.

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